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PATENT APPLICATION  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. T-4409

First Inventor Craig Petersen

Title REMOVABLE AIRCRAFT SERVICING PIT LID

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3.  Specification [Total Pages 22]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure.

4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [ Total Sheets 5 ]

5. Oath or Declaration [ Total Pages 2 ]

a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
 

- a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
  - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
  - ii.  paper
- c.  Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of  
(when there is an assignee)  Attorney

11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)

12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS  
Citations

13.  Preliminary Amendment

14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)

15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)

16.  Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122  
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35  
or its equivalent.

17.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Prior application information:

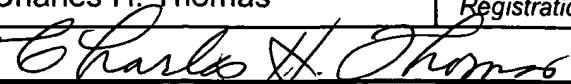
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Group Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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## Complete if Known

Application Number	
Filing Date	
First Named Inventor	Craig Petersen
Examiner Name	
Group Art Unit	
Attorney Docket No.	T-4409

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Deposit Account Name Charles H. Thomas, Inc.

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Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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See 37 CFR 1.27

2.  Payment Enclosed:

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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	385.00
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

385.00

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	8	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	4	-2** =		0.00
Multiple Dependent		- 3** =		43.00

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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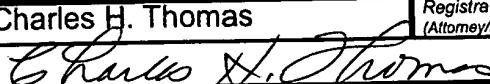
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Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	127	50	227	25	Non-English specification	139	130	139	130
For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	147	2,520	147	2,520	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	113	1,840*	113	1,840*
Extension for reply within first month	115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within second month	116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within third month	117	920	217	460
Extension for reply within fourth month	118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fifth month	128	1,960	228	980	Notice of Appeal	119	320	219	160
Filing a brief in support of an appeal	120	320	220	160	Request for oral hearing	121	280	221	140	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	138	1,510	138	1,510
Petition to revive - unavoidable	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unintentional	141	1,280	241	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	142	1,280	242	640
Design issue fee	143	460	243	230	Plant issue fee	144	620	244	310	Petitions to the Commissioner	122	130	122	130
Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	123	50	123	50	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	126	180	126	180	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	581	40	581	40
For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	146	740	246	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	149	740	249	370	Request for expedited examination of a design application	169	900	169	900
Other fee (specify) _____														

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**NONPUBLICATION REQUEST  
UNDER  
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

5.14.04

Date



Signature

714-545-7900

Craig Petersen

Telephone number

Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

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